Mr. V. K. Aravindaksha Menon.—Government have no information on the amount of money invested by the public.

Mr. K. M. Ibrahim.—May I know whether this aspect was ever taken account of when the various fees were levied on the boats ?

Mr. V. K. Aravindaksha Menon.—The license fees are fixed as per agreement of the motor boat owners themselves. Government have no power.

Mr. K. M. Ibrahim.—Am I to understand that in any equitable taxation that aspect has not to be taken into account ?

President.—That is a matter of opinion

Applications for enrolment as vakils.

489. **Mr. A. Eachara Menon.**—Will the Government be pleased to state whether it is a fact that graduates-in-law when they apply for enrolment state their age in the application?

Mr. K. Achyuta Menon.—Yes. When they apply for enrolment as vakils of the Chief Court.

Mr. T. A. Ramachandra Ayyar.—Are the High Court Vakils also included in this.

Mr. K. Achyuta Menon.—I am not very sure. I want notice.

Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan.—Can we take it that all gentlemen who apply for Chief Court Sanads have to state their age in their applications ?

Mr. K. Achyuta Menon.—That is the information of the Government.

Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan.—May I know whether these applications in their original are kept in the Government archives ?

Mr. K. Achyuta Menon.—I think they are kept in the Chief Court.

Mr. Paul Mampilli.—Is there any register kept of these applications in which all information is recorded ?

Mr. K. Achyuta Menon—I am not sure. I want notice.

Newspaper article regarding the action of the Manager of the Vivekodayam School.

490. **Mr. T. A. Ramachandra Ayyar.**—Was the attention of the Government drawn to the articles and reports in the Gomathy Newspaper dated Kumbham 19, 25th and 26th regarding the action of the Manager of the Vivekodayam School;

(b) if so, will copies of the same be placed on the table ?

Mr. I. N. Menon.— (a) Government have perused the reports.

(b) No.

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Mr. T. A. Ramachandra Ayyar.—Was any action taken when the Government perused the article in the newspapers ?

Mr. I. N. Menon.—We inquried into the matter from the authorities themselves.

Mr. T. A. Ramachandra Ayyar.—Were any final orders passed ?

Mr. I. N. Menon.—There was no necessity; because the school authorities themselves came to an amicable settlement. There was no necessity for any further action by the Department.

Officers who died in harness.

491. Mr. T. A. Ramachandra Ayyar.—Will the Government be pleased to state the names of officers who died in harness to whose family Government have given pension or any allowance or proposed to be given with the amount sanctioned to each; will a copy of the list of such persons prepared by Government be placed on the table ?

Mr. P. V. Subramania Ayyar.—General rules for the grant of gratuity in such cases have been framed and the preparation of the list of those that may become eligible for it is nearing completion.

Villages visited by Director of Public Health.

492. Mr. T. A. Ramachandra Ayyar.—Will the Government be pleased to state the names of villages not served by car—visited by the Director of Public Health after he took charge of the department ?

Rama Varmha Tampuran.—A list of the villages visited by the Director of Public Health since he took charge is appended. (*Appendix III.*) Of these villages, some are accessible by car and some not. All places which required the personal inspection of the Director of Public Health have been visited by him in car, by walking or by boat according to circumstances.

Mr. T. A. Ramachandra Ayyar.—In the list the villages through which the car of the Director of Public Health passed are also included. I simply wanted to know the villages not served by car visited by the D. P. H. Can the Government give me an answer ?

Rama Varmha Tampuran.—These names are also in the list.

Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan.—Is there any special object in including these villages through which his car passed ?

Rama Varmha Tampuran.—Absolutely no object. We could well have eliminated them.

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